DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Availability of Record of Decision for the [insert name of planning area] Resource Management Plan (RMP)/Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management

ACTION: Notice of Availability of Record of Decision (ROD)

SUMMARY: In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA), and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) management policies [insert any other pertinent legislation], the BLM announces the availability of the RMP/ROD for the [insert name of planning area] located in [insert location of planning area]. The [insert name of state] State Director will sign the RMP/ROD, which becomes effective immediately.

ADDRESSES:

Copies of the [insert name of planning area] RMP/ROD are available upon request from the Field Manager, [insert name of Field Office] Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, [insert street address] or via the internet at [insert web address]. [State any other means for the public to obtain copies of the RMP/ROD]

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: [insert name of contact, contact information, including address, telephone, and email address]

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The [insert name of planning area] RMP/ROD was developed with broad public participation through a [insert number] year collaborative planning process. This RMP/ROD addresses management on approximately [insert number] acres of public land in the planning area. The [insert name of area] RMP/ROD is designed to achieve or maintain desired future conditions developed through the planning process. It includes a series of management actions to meet the desired resource conditions for upland and riparian vegetation, wildlife habitats, cultural and visual resources, livestock grazing and recreation [insert any other pertinent issues].

The approved [insert name of area] RMP is essentially the same as Alternative [insert number] in the Proposed [insert name] RMP/Final Environmental Impact Statement (PRMP/FEIS), published in [insert date]. BLM received [insert number] protest(s) to the PRMP/FEIS. No inconsistencies with State or local plans, policies, or programs were identified during the Governor consistency review of the PRMP/FEIS. As a result, only minor editorial modifications were made in preparing the -RMP/ROD. These modifications corrected errors that were noted during review of -the PRMP/FEIS and provide further clarification for some of the decisions. An errata sheet is included with the -RMP/ROD that identifies the location of the corrections in the PRMP/FEIS

Dated:

[insert name]
State Director